

Sudoku #1

9			6	3	2	4		
		6		4	8		5	
8	7			1			2	6
	6					2	1	
1			8		6			5
	8	7					9	
6	3			8			4	2
	5		3	9		8		
		8	2	6	1			3

*God will not suffer man to have the knowledge of things to come; for if he had prescience of his prosperity he would be careless; and understanding of his adversity he would be senseless.
-- Augustine*

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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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Sudoku #2

6					7	8	4	
	5			2				1
	2	8			4	6		
	8			4			2	9
		7	8		3	1		
5	4			9			8	
		1	4			2	7	
8				6			9	
	6	5	2					8

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*"Love is the power to see similarity in the dissimilar."
 -- Theodor Adorno*

Sudoku #3

			9			1	2	7
	1			4	6		8	
		2		7	1			9
		6					3	1
7		3		5		2		8
1	2					9		
8			5	2		4		
	7		4	1			5	
3	5	4			9			

*Practical people would be more practical if they would take a little more time for dreaming.
 -- J. P. McEvoy*

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Sudoku #4

		8	7	4	6			1
6	7			3				
	3	1				6	7	9
2		9						6
	4						1	
1						2		7
8	9	2				7	4	
				7			6	2
7			4	5	2	3		

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The Banana Principle: Heuristic devices don't tell you when to stop.

Sudoku #5

3	7		1	2	8		6	
2			6		4	7	1	
							2	8
		9	4					
		3	7		1	2		
					5	1		
5	3							
	6	4	8		2			5
	1		5	3	6		4	2

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*If you wish to make a superior product, you must already be engaged in making an inferior product.
-- Jacob A. Varela*

Sudoku #6

	4	5					7	
	3	7	6	4	1			
1			3		5			
		3	9				1	8
	8		5		7		3	
9	1				8	7		
			7		3			5
			1	5	2	6	4	
	7					1	8	

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"People who say, 'Let the chips fall where they may,' usually figure they will not be hit by a chip."
 -- Bern Williams

Sudoku #7

			1	2			9	
	1			9	4			5
6		5						
5		1	4	7	2			9
2		4				3		7
9			3	5	6	4		2
						1		3
1			8	4			2	
	8			1	9			

*Everybody's gotta be someplace.
 -- Myron Cohen*

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Sudoku #8

		8	6				9	1
				3	2		8	
2		5	9		8			
7	3	2		1		5	4	
	5	1		9		6	2	7
			7		1	9		4
	8		2	6				
6	7				9	8		

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Hints

Sudoku #1

	1	2					6	7
8	3		33			34		18
		9	40		41	19		
20		42	43	21	35			10
	22	36		23		24	11	
25			37	26	27	12		4
		28	38		39	29		
30		31			32		13	14
15	16					17	5	

Sudoku #2

	14	30	31	15				16
32		33	34		35	17	1	
36			37	18			2	3
38		39	40		41	42		
19	4			5			6	7
		20	43		44	21		8
22	9			10	23			24
	11	45	46		25	47		12
26				27	28	29	13	

Sudoku #3

43	44	32		33	34			
22		23	35			24		16
36	37		38			25	4	
26	27		39	28	29	17		
	5		6		1		2	
		30	45	46	40		7	18
	8	9			19		10	11
12		3			31	20		13
			41	42		21	14	15

Sudoku #4

5	6					1	7	
		12	44		34	13	14	8
15			45	46	35			
	25		36	26	37	16	27	
17		18	47	38	28	19		9
	29	20	39	30	40		31	
			41	32	42			2
21	22	23	43		33	24		
	10	3					11	4

Sudoku #5

		1				10		11
	12	2		13				14
46	15	36	16	28	17	18		
47	37			38	3	29	30	39
40	41			42			31	43
44	32	33	19	34			35	45
		20	4	21	5	22	6	23
24				7		25	26	
27		8				9		

Sudoku #6

23			13	14	1	15		24
37						38	39	40
	25	26		16		41	27	28
42	29			17	6	30		
43		47		18		44		45
		46	7	19			31	32
33	20	34		21		35	36	
8	2	3						9
22		10	4	11	5			12

Sudoku #7

34	22	35			23	36		13
37		38	14			24	25	
	26		1	15	16	17	18	19
	20					39	40	
	2		3	4	5		6	
	7	8					9	
41	42	43	44	10	27		28	
	29	45			30	31		11
32		46	47			33	21	12

Sudoku #8

9	1			10	11	12		
30	31	32	22			33		34
	35			13		45	36	46
			2		3			4
37	38	23	39	14	40	41	24	25
42			26		27			
15	5	6		16			17	
28		18			29	47	43	44
		7	19	8			20	21

INSTRUCTIONS: These hint grids reveal the order in which the squares were solved by my computer. It's not necessarily the same order you would use, but it's probably close. Follow the numbered squares in order 1, 2, 3, ... until you find a square you haven't solved yet. This square (or the one or two immediately after it) is a good candidate to solve next.

Answers

Sudoku #1

9	1	5	6	3	2	4	8	7
3	2	6	7	4	8	1	5	9
8	7	4	9	1	5	3	2	6
5	6	3	4	7	9	2	1	8
1	4	9	8	2	6	7	3	5
2	8	7	1	5	3	6	9	4
6	3	1	5	8	7	9	4	2
7	5	2	3	9	4	8	6	1
4	9	8	2	6	1	5	7	3

Sudoku #2

6	1	9	5	3	7	8	4	2
7	5	4	6	2	8	9	3	1
3	2	8	9	1	4	6	5	7
1	8	3	7	4	6	5	2	9
2	9	7	8	5	3	1	6	4
5	4	6	1	9	2	7	8	3
9	3	1	4	8	5	2	7	6
8	7	2	3	6	1	4	9	5
4	6	5	2	7	9	3	1	8

Sudoku #3

6	4	8	9	3	5	1	2	7
9	1	7	2	4	6	3	8	5
5	3	2	8	7	1	6	4	9
4	8	6	7	9	2	5	3	1
7	9	3	1	5	4	2	6	8
1	2	5	3	6	8	9	7	4
8	6	1	5	2	7	4	9	3
2	7	9	4	1	3	8	5	6
3	5	4	6	8	9	7	1	2

Sudoku #4

9	2	8	7	4	6	5	3	1
6	7	5	9	3	1	8	2	4
4	3	1	2	8	5	6	7	9
2	8	9	3	1	7	4	5	6
5	4	7	6	2	8	9	1	3
1	6	3	5	9	4	2	8	7
8	9	2	1	6	3	7	4	5
3	5	4	8	7	9	1	6	2
7	1	6	4	5	2	3	9	8

Sudoku #5

3	7	5	1	2	8	4	6	9
2	9	8	6	5	4	7	1	3
6	4	1	3	7	9	5	2	8
1	2	9	4	6	3	8	5	7
4	5	3	7	8	1	2	9	6
7	8	6	2	9	5	1	3	4
5	3	2	9	4	7	6	8	1
9	6	4	8	1	2	3	7	5
8	1	7	5	3	6	9	4	2

Sudoku #6

6	4	5	8	2	9	3	7	1
8	3	7	6	4	1	5	9	2
1	2	9	3	7	5	8	6	4
7	5	3	9	6	4	2	1	8
2	8	6	5	1	7	4	3	9
9	1	4	2	3	8	7	5	6
4	6	1	7	8	3	9	2	5
3	9	8	1	5	2	6	4	7
5	7	2	4	9	6	1	8	3

Sudoku #7

7	4	3	1	2	5	6	9	8
8	1	2	6	9	4	7	3	5
6	9	5	7	3	8	2	4	1
5	3	1	4	7	2	8	6	9
2	6	4	9	8	1	3	5	7
9	7	8	3	5	6	4	1	2
4	2	9	5	6	7	1	8	3
1	5	7	8	4	3	9	2	6
3	8	6	2	1	9	5	7	4

Sudoku #8

3	4	8	6	7	5	2	9	1
9	6	7	1	3	2	4	8	5
2	1	5	9	4	8	3	7	6
7	3	2	8	1	6	5	4	9
4	9	6	5	2	7	1	3	8
8	5	1	4	9	3	6	2	7
5	2	3	7	8	1	9	6	4
1	8	9	2	6	4	7	5	3
6	7	4	3	5	9	8	1	2